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In re Application of:

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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING, IN YEAST, A HYDROXYLATED
TRIPLE HELICAL PROTEIN, AND YEAST HOST CELLS
USEFUL IN SAID METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action dated November 14, 2005, from February 14, 2006, to on or May 15, 2006 (May 14, being a Sunday).

A check for the statutory fee of \$1,020.00 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 necessary to keep this application pending in the Patent and Trademark Office or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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